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For FILTER ELEMENT AND METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF

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## AMENDMENT B

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

In response to the Office action dated August 20, 2008 please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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